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WEDNESDAY EVE., JUNE 17, 1886.

And now they have begun to call
Center Harrison "an alleged Mayor."

HON. JAMES G. BLAINE and Gen-
eral John A. Logan are announced to
make speeches in Ohio during the
now-opening political campaign in
that state.

The full Republican strength was
on hand in the house of representa-
tives yesterday, and the result was
that the Chicago election-reform bill
was ordered to a third reading by
77 yeas—the Democrats not voting.
The other bills affecting elections
were all passed without serious op-
position.

The London Times believes the
Gladstone ministry could have pre-
vented their own downfall had they
desired. But what would have been
the sense in holding on until they
would have been obliged to get some-
one to help them let go? The op-
position now have an elephant on
their hands, and it is the time for
Gladstone and his friends to laugh.
This defeat, under the circumstances,
was a defeat with all the substantial
fruits of victory.

SECRETARY BAYARD seems to have
made a bad break in claiming that
his reversed grandfather's vote elected
Jefferson President. It turns out
upon investigation that said grand-
father not only did not vote for Jef-
ferson at all, but that he broke his
promise to do so after having sought
and obtained assurance that his
friends in office would not be re-
moved in case of Jefferson's election.

CHICAGO JOURNAL: Secretary of
State Bayard announces that his
policy is "to endeavor to allay every
rumor of sectional feeling." Whether
the unpardoned rebels
whom he has appointed to fat of-
fices will allow their sectional feel-
ings to be "allayed" by the means is
more than doubtful. In such cases
as that of Kelly, it appears to make
them worse.

The croakers who have of late
been trying to make out that the ex-
ports of this country are falling off
are not sustained by the official re-
turns. The last reports of the
United States Bureau of Statistics
show that the value of the broad-
stuffs exported from this country in
the last eleven months was \$1,875,
092 in excess of those of the corre-
sponding period last year, and also
that our exports of cattle, meats and
dairy products are increasing, in-
stead of diminishing, in quantity and
value.

The Irons Club, of Chicago,
which represents what has been
called "the respectable Democratic
element," had a meeting on Monday
night, at which a resolution was
unanimously adopted requesting the
Democrats in the Legislature "to use
every reasonable and honorable
effort" to secure the passage of the
Election reform bill now pending in
the House. It now remains to be
seen whether the representatives of
the "respectable Democrats" of Chi-
cago or the representatives of the
Chicago "gang" shall have the most
weight among the Democrats of the
House. Thus far, in the contest
over the Election reform bill, the
"gang" has controlled the action of
the Democratic party of the House,
uniting it in a desperate opposition
to the bill, even to the extent of for-
cing a dead lock. We shall know in
a day or two whether they shall
maintain or lose their grip, or, in
other words, whether the Irons
Club or the Mackin and Gallagher
element of the party shall dictate the
party's policy, the Doctor *Deceit*
meanwhile persisting in his adhesion
to the "gang" which wants to defeat
the bill, in spite of the fact that the
"respectable Democrats" are in favor
of its passage without amendment.

According to the revised official
figures the total number of deaths on
the Union side during the war of
the Rebellion was 350,490, out of a
total enlistment of 2,772,403. This
statement is a significant and timely
one, inasmuch as the course of the
present Administration in the mat-
ter of appointments tends to convey
the impression that the Union army
was practically annihilated.

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ber she procured a Bottle of Dr. King's
New Discovery, when immediately relief
was felt, and by continuing its use for a
short time she was completely cured,
gaining in flesh 50 pounds in a few
months.

Phonia Transcript: It is believed
the Illinois Federal office will be
filled this week. We hope so. We
will be glad when the whole bloom-
ing business is settled, and Mr. Har-
dick can get a whack at that sur-
prise. We are needing the \$8.

BY TELEGRAPH

IN THE ADIRONDACKS.

General Grant Safely Installed
in the "Grant Cottage" at
Mt. McGregor.

The Trip to the Mountains in the Palace
Car "Vanderbilt"—Attention to the
Distinguished Invalid.

Surprising His Friends By Remarkable
Vigor at the End of His
Journey.

The Trip.
New York, June 16.—General Grant
and family left this morning for Mt.
McGregor, near Saratoga. Grant is suf-
fering greatly from the heat, and can
only speak in a low whisper. He is
much wasted in body, and is aged look-
ing.

All the preparations for the change
had been made during the past three or
four days. The baggage car by seven
o'clock this morning. At eight o'clock
General and Mrs. Grant, Colonel Fred
Grant, Ulysses S. Grant, Jr., Mrs. Sar-
atoga, Jesse Grant, Dr. Douglas and
Newman and a few intimate friends as-
sembled in the parlor, where, while await-
ing the carriage, the trip was discussed.
All, excepting the staid old warri-
or, seemed to be delighted over the prospect
of escaping from the stifling atmosphere
of the city. The General tried to look
contented, and endeavored to make them
feel that he, too, appreciated the
change, but it was apparent that he
did so only to encourage them. When
the carriage arrived at the depot, the
next day, the General, fronting the
residence was lined with well-
dressed people. When the General came
out, leaning on the arm of Colonel Fred
Grant, he was lifted and borne re-
mained uncovered until he entered the
carriage. Grant wore a dark suit and a
silk hat. His face was pale and emaciated,
his eyes were deeply sunken, and he
wore an unusual look. Mrs. Grant and
Dr. Douglas entered the same carriage.
The others were occupied by the remain-
ing members of the family and servants.
Arriving at the Grand Central Depot,
everything was in readiness. A special
train was drawn alongside the platform
for the distinguished passenger. Harbors
arrived at the depot, and a large num-
ber of the old soldier, but who had been
back by the railroad employees, finally
helped their way to the train as it
started. Five minutes past nine the train
pulled out of the station.

At Albany.
ALBANY, N. Y., June 16.—The special
train bearing General Grant and party
arrived here at 12:20 p. m., and after a
stop of five minutes to change engines,
proceeded to Saratoga. General Grant
sat in the rear seat of the car "Vander-
bilt." He looked quite well, and said to
a United Press correspondent: "I have
studied the journey very well so far." He
then turned toward the people assembled
on the platform and bowed repeatedly.

The General's study showed signs of
weariness once or twice during the trip
up the river, and his spirits seemed to
revive under the influence of the pleas-
ant weather and the excitement of the
trip.

At Saratoga.
SARATOGA, N. Y., June 16.—The special
train bearing General Grant and family
arrived at Mount McGregor Depot at
1:50 this p. m. An immense crowd had
gathered to receive the General's re-
turn. Postmaster M. Wheeler, G. A. H.,
was in waiting to receive the General
and escort him to the residence of Joseph
W. Dewey, on the mountain. When the
General alighted, the people cheered and
shouted. He was escorted to the train
which conveyed him to Mount McGregor.
By J. H. Harrison and Dr. Douglas, where
he was met by Daniel H. Foster, gen-
eral manager of the road, where he was
waiting. After the family had entered the car,
General Manager Foster instructed the
engineer to make the trip slow and
steady, inside of fifty minutes. The Gen-
eral looked well, except for a large swell-
ing in the right side of his throat. He
wore the journey well. The General
waved his handkerchief as the train de-
parted, and was welcomed by President
Kellogg of the Mount McGregor Road.
The General's train arrived at the moun-
tain at 2:15 p. m., and was crowded.

Grant at Mt. McGregor.
SARATOGA, N. Y., June 17.—As the
train started for Mount McGregor Gen-
eral Grant waved his handkerchief from
the car. On the trip up he sat in a com-
fortable arm-chair and devoted his time
principally to viewing the beautiful
scenery along the route. At Mount Mc-
Gregor everybody was on the alert when
it was learned that a message had been
received that General Grant had just in-
terviewed the mountain. The General
and his family were on the way up the
mountain. The finishing touches had been
given to the "Grant Cottage," and the
group at the mountain is now waiting
for the whistle of the train. The wel-
come sound was soon heard, and at 2:30
p. m. the train pulled up at the rustic
station, and in a few moments the entire
party alighted.

A cot has been provided with mat-
resses and pillows on which to carry the
General to the cottage, but it was not
used. General Grant stepped from the
car, assisted by Colonel Grant, and
started to walk with a comparatively firm
step. He turned to the arms of Officers
John M. Fryer and James McKim. He
walked up the inclined walk and into
the arbor, where he rested in a
chair. After a brief rest, the officers
picked up the chair, and carried the in-
valid to the foot of the steps of the cot-
tage. Here the General motioned to be
set down, and with his cane in his hand
he raised himself out of the chair and
ascended the steps to the piazza,
where he was laid out richly,
but plainly. It faces the east, is of wood,
and two stories in height. The General's
room is a large and airy apartment, and
connected with Mrs. Grant's room. Ex-
cellent engravings of Grant and Lincoln
decorate the walls.

Placed at a short distance away is an arm-
chair, occupied by E. C. Chapin, Will-
iam Post, Benedict No. 5, of Albany.
He will see that quiet is maintained, and
that the General's presence is not in-
convenient.

Ladies' French Kid Hand Sewed Walking
Shoes just received at Powers & H.,
worth \$3.

OPERA HOUSE.

Thursday Eve., June 18.

Schubert Quartette,

of Chicago, will give

ONE CONCERT

under the auspices of the ladies of the Presby-
terian church.

Prior to and 50 cents.

Reserve seats can be obtained at Curtis &
Co., on Monday, 15th, without additional
charge.

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months.

Free Trial Bottle of this certain cure

of all Throat and Lung Diseases at

Swearingen & Hubbard's Drug Store.

red upon. The General passed the
of the time this afternoon resting on a
revolving chair on the piazza. Twice on
the trip from New York Dr. Douglas at-
tended to his throat, and once after his
arrival here.

General Grant appeared on the piazza
in the evening, and remained there until
half past seven o'clock, when he retired.
At a late hour Dr. Douglas reported
him as doing as well as could be ex-
pected, and that he seemed to have gained
some strength. At 10:45 p. m. every-
body in the cottage had retired to rest.

Refunding Ohio State Bonds.
COLUMBUS, O., June 17.—The State
Sinking Fund Commission met again
yesterday afternoon to consider bids that
might be offered for refunding the State
bonds. There were quite a number of
brokers present from Cincinnati, Chi-
cago, Toledo and Cleveland. After the
board had been in executive session thirty
minutes, it was announced that no
decision had been reached, and that the
Governor would take the matter under
consideration for a day or so. By one
bid, offered by N. W. Harris & Co., of
Chicago, the State would be \$25,000,
by another bid, by the three firms com-
bined of Hampecht, Hay & Co., of Cleve-
land; S. A. Keen & Co., of Chicago, and
Simon, Huseman & Co., of Cincinnati.
The State would be \$25,000 better off than
under the present contract.

Small-Pox.
NEW YORK, June 17.—No new cases of
small-pox were reported on Ward's
Island yesterday, and the Western pas-
sengers will be discharged to-day unless
there should be another outbreak. The
presence of the disease in the city will be
detected another week. The 1,536 passen-
gers are packed in long, low, over-
crowded and badly ventilated build-
ings. The vaccination of the immigrants
and lunatics is about completed.

The Inter-State Commerce Committee.
CHICAGO, Ill., June 17.—The Senate
Committee on Inter-State Commerce
concluded its labors here yesterday, and
left for St. Louis last night. George M.
Bogart, real estate dealer, A. C. Burdick,
hardware merchant and C. M. Wiesner,
Commissioner of the Chicago Freight
Bureau, appeared as witnesses before
the Committee yesterday.

Must Remove Their Faces.
DENVER, Colo., June 17.—In the United
States Court yesterday the Arkansas Val-
ley Land & Cattle Company, was ordered
to remove its fences before November 1st,
or the United States Marshal would then
remove these obstructions. It is charged
that this company has over 350 miles of
fence on the public domain in Bent
County.

Miner Shooting Down.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., June 17.—A West
Elizabeth special says O'Neil & Co., and
a United Press correspondent: "I have
seen them from the present outlook
nearly all the mines in that locality will
be closed by the end of the week, and
1,500 men will be idle. Many of the
miners are moving away."

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Small-pox has appeared in Milwaukee.

Menphis has closed the gambling-
houses.

The Russians daily having occupied a
harbor in Corea.

A Chicago theatrical company has ar-
rived in London.

Two hundred coal miners went out on
a strike at Lockport, N. Y.

The United States American Medicine
show at Harrisburg, Pa.

P. R. Reed, Mayor of Louisville, was
narrated to Mrs. E. C. Conner.

The Post office at White Springs, Fla.,
was burned with all its contents.

William Caldwell was killed by his step-
son, near Sikeston, Mo., on Sunday morn-
ing.

Fishing vessels returned from Ireland
report the past winter there unusually suc-
cessful.

A storm at Knoxville, Ark., destroyed
the Baptist Church, and did other serious
damage.

Julius Johnson was mortally wounded
by a policeman at Chicago in an effort to
arrest him.

Charles Bricker and Wm. Newmyer
were severely cut in a fight at Indianapolis.

Several coalminers at West Elizabeth,
Pa., have been shut down, and 1,000 min-
ers are idle.

Mrs. Mary Fittner was killed by
falling from a train near Cedar, Indiana
County, Mo.

W. W. Carter, Collector of Internal
Revenue for the Seventh Indiana District,
has resigned.

It has been decided that white men
are members of Indian tribes are eligible
to the franchise.

Henry W. Blair was elected to the
United States Senate by the New Hamp-
shire Legislature.

The dead-lock in the Illinois Legisla-
ture was broken and the Chicago election
code ordered to third reading.

Thirteen of the twenty-county witnesses
before the Illinois Legislature, investigating
committee, is in Washington.

Idill's cave in Canada, proving a most
complicated affair. It seems difficult to
decide how he should be tried.

Martin F. Hine, of Hannibal, O., was
indicted by his wife. She has been ar-
rested and confessed the crime.

Prof. A. R. McFarlin, of Edinburgh,
Scotland, has been elected to the chair of
physics of the University of Texas.

The Parallels at Duluth are preparing
a big demonstration to show their pleasure
at the coming departure of Earl Spencer.

A Norwegian bark has arrived at the
Delaware breakwater from Copenhagen,
with the Captain ill with supposed
yellow fever.

August Stoll is charged by a Coroner's
jury with criminal neglect in the matter
of the drowning of several persons near
Concordia, Mo.

John Sholly, sent to the Penitentiary
from Tunkhannock, Pa., for murder in the
second degree, has been pardoned by Gov-
ernor Marshall.

The Cabinet met and decided to re-
cognize Mr. Sanford, now held as a prisoner in
Cuba, as an American citizen, and will de-
clare him so.

The house of Matthew H. Kelly, near Ma-
son City, Ia., was completely blown away
by Sunday night's storm, and several
members of his family were injured.

Yesterday was a busy day in the Chi-
cago market, everything being on the up-
per turn. There was a discrepancy in
the Chicago and New York visible supply
statement which caused some excitement.

Remarkably contradictory reports con-
cerning the cholera came from Spain.
Some of the newspapers assert the panic
is senseless, as there is no cholera; while
others give figures showing the ravages
of the disease.

RETURN OF THE FAVORITES

OPERA HOUSE—ONE WEEK.

(Except Thursday), Commencing

MONDAY EVE., JUNE 15.

Matinees Wednesday & Saturday.

THE FAMOUS

Hollywood Opera Co.

IN THE FAIRY OPERETTA

CINDERELLA!

BABY CLARA, 5 yrs. of age.

MASTER DYCK, 6 yrs. of age.

Pronounced by the press and public to be
the greatest child actors living. They are
supported by a strong and talented com-
pany. Don't fail to bring the little ones to see them.
Admission, 10c, 50c and 25c. Seats now on
sale at Curtis & Co's.

FROM WASHINGTON.

The Postmaster-General and Sul-
livan Bros.' Lottery Scheme

—A Popular Appointment.

Collector Robinson's Civil Service Reform

—Postmasters Appointed—Master-
Mechanics in Convention.

The President and the Civil Service Rules

—Overcome by Heat—Re-
signed.

Sullivan Bros.' Lottery Scheme.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Several
rival tobacco manufacturers have com-
plained to the Postmaster-General that
Sullivan Bros., of Middletown, Ohio,
are using the mails in conducting a
fraudulent business. Sullivan Bros. are
the manufacturers of the "Spear Head"
chewing tobacco, and have advertised
extensively that on the first day of July
they will distribute \$50,000 in prizes to
the parties having the largest number of
"Spear Head" tags. The rival manu-
facturers say the scheme partakes of the
nature of a lottery, and that money or-
ders and registered letters should be
withheld from them at once. The Post-
master-General is now considering the
matter. Should he decide against Sul-
livan Bros. it would seem that they will
save the amount of their prizes and then
defraud their patrons to that extent, and
should he decide in their favor the al-
leged lottery scheme, from the nature of
it has and will have attracted, will
work to their pecuniary benefit, so that which-
ever way the matter is decided, it would
seem that the Sullivan Bros. will be
benefitted.

A Popular Appointment.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Amer-
icus Warden, who was yesterday ap-
pointed by the President to be super-
vising his sector of the National Peni-
tentiary, with headquarters at Cincinnati,
is a steam engine and steam-
boiler builder of many years experience in
the West. He has been twice Superin-
tendent of the water works in Cincinnati,
several years having elapsed between his
services in that position several years
each time. This present appoint-
ment was recommended by the Presi-
dent, and members of the Board
of Public Works by the President, and
members of the Board of Trade; by resolu-
tion of the Steam Engineers' Association
and its individual members; Hon.
J. P. Folger, late member of Congress
from the Second District of Ohio; by
prominent citizens and business men who
in a body signed and subscribed themselves
as members of the National Penitentiary
by the city officers generally of Cincin-
nati; by judges of the courts; by ex-
ecutives, Hon. Wm. Groesbeck et al. Mr.
Warden is a brother of Judge R. B. Warden,
and Judge R. B. Warden, of this city.

Postmasters Appointed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—The
President to-day commissioned the fol-
lowing Postmasters: Thomas Ingham,
Michigan; Thos. H. Locke,
Victoria, Tex.; Constantine A. Gilman,
Rockville, Tex.; John L. Eitel,
Clear Lake, Ia.; Alfred D. Tinsley, Sil-
ber, Ia.; Albert L. Doanard, Marengo,
Ill.; Chas. H. Adams, Atchison, Mo.;
Martin Y. McElroy, East Saginaw, Mich.;
S. L. Sturtevant, Fairport, Neb.; Norval
Blackburn, Decatur, Ind.; Benj. E.
Louthan, Logansport, Ind.; J. M. N.
Brunt, Oange Mission, Kas.; John
Finkes, Colfax, N. D.; J. H. Donkersley,
Laramie City, Wyo. T.

Master Mechanics' Convention.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—The
sixteenth annual Convention of American
Railway Master Mechanics opened at
Willard's Hall yesterday. The object of
the Convention is to discuss matters re-
lating to railway mechanics with a view
of extending improvements, and a num-
ber of reports on subjects connected with
railway development will be read. First
Vice-President J. D. Barnett, of Port
Hope, Ind., in the absence of President
J. H. Flynn, of Atlantic City, who died
during the past year, called the Con-
vention to order and delivered the annual
address.

Nathan Moore to Offer.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Col-
lector Robinson, of New York, has sub-
mitted his report to the Treasury De-
partment in response to a circular calling for
recommendations as to methods of reduc-
ing the expense, or increasing the effi-
ciency of his office. He proposes that
thirty-five vacancies occurring during the
term, the salaries of which aggregate
\$20,000, are permitted to remain vacant,
and that a further reduction of salary
be decreed, if necessary.

Mr. Robertson, who has been ap-
pointed to succeed Mr. Robinson, deems
it unnecessary to make recommendations
at this time for improving the
service.

Arrested.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Chief
Post-office Inspector Stamp yesterday
received intelligence of the arrest of
Postmaster Hilbers, of Lexington, D. T.,
who about two weeks ago, absconded
after swindling a large number of people.
His arrest was effected by Inspectors
Murphy and Culver, on the Harris River,
east of Victoria, in the British Provinces.
The telegram adds that Hilbers will resist
extension by all means known to the law.

Livery Stable Burned.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Clarke's
livery stable, in the West End was de-
stroyed by fire between half past twelve
and one o'clock this morning. It is one
of the largest livery stables in Wash-
ington, and it contained seventy-seven
and a half horses, of which number twenty-
seven were suffocated, and the balance
trotted loose in the streets. A number of
carriages and twenty-eight tons of hay
were saved.

Will Amend the Civil Service Rules.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—It is
thought that the civil service rules so
amend the civil service rules so that
they will have to be, by the ap-
pointment of residents of States whose
quota of offices are not filled.

Do Not Constitute a Trade Mark.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—The
Commissioner of Patents, in an elaborate
decision on the question of granting a
trade mark for a red bag holds: "Neither
the color alone nor the form alone
of a package nor the color of an article
of commerce can constitute a trade
mark."

Drippings of Whisky.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Sec-
retary Manning has decided that drippings
of whisky and other liquors from wor-
men's coats must be regarded by customs
officers as leakage, and that allowance
must be made accordingly.

Overcome by Heat.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Com-
missioner of Internal Revenue Miller was
partially overcome by heat at his office
in the Treasury yesterday, and is suffer-
ing severely.

Resigned.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 17.—Chief
Brooks of the Secret Service Bureau,
Treasury Department, has resigned.

BASE BALL.

Score of Games Played Tuesday,
June 16.

New York.—Cincinnati, 5; Metropoli-
tans, 4.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—St. Louis Browns, 11;
Brooklyn, 1.

Providence, R. I.—Providence, 4; New
York, 3.

Chicago, Ill.—Chicago, 8; De-
troit, 6.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Athletics, 11; Pitts-
burgh, 1.

Baltimore, Md.—Baltimore, 9; Louis-
ville, 2.

St. Louis, Mo.—Buffs, 5; St. Louis
Leagues, 0.

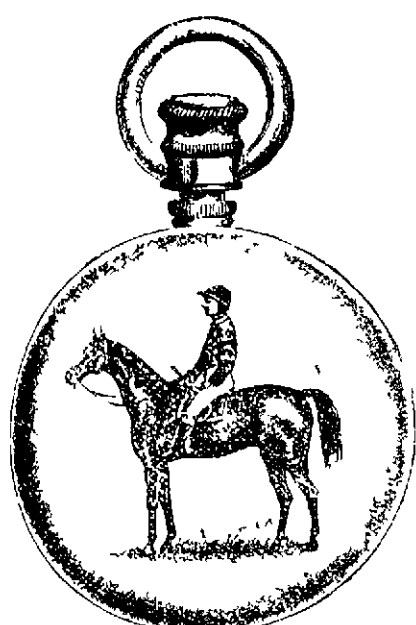
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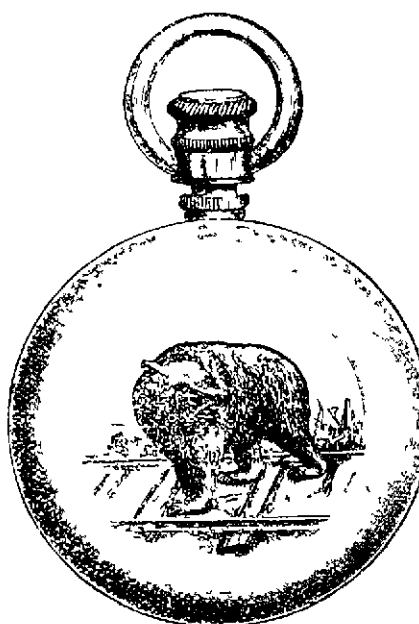
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It will pay to see us when thinking of a watch

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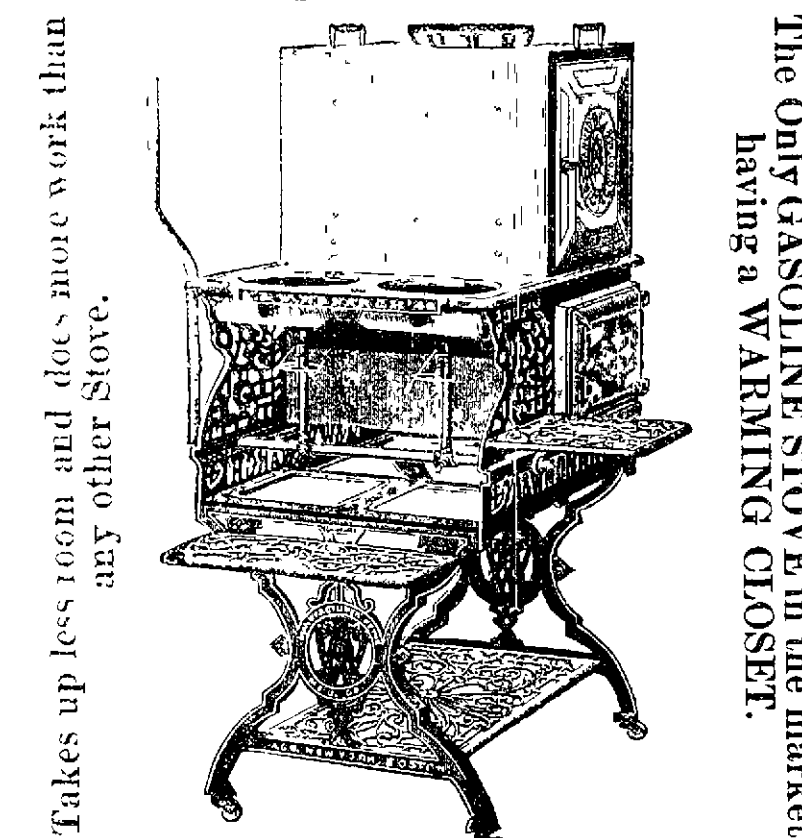


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LEADING JEWELERS.

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For Good Bread,
CAKES, PIES, Etc. Everything made at
Brewer's is as choice as can be found any-
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Wedding Cakes a Specialty.
BREWER THE BAKER,
211 North Main St., Decatur, Ill.

THE A. & W. MONARCH,
The Most Complete Gasoline Stove Made.



Call and examine this Stove whether you want to buy or not. It will interest you.
Sold only by
FERCUSON & DILLEHUNT
125 North Water Street.

Have no sweet butter milk for sale at the poultry depot, 221 North Main street, until I have in any part of the city, at 10c per gallon. Telephone 322. 10-11-12.
I have No. 100 and get pure original from D. A. Muller. Special attention paid to all orders. Three wagons on the roads every morning. apr 7-12-13.
Outrun your job of Antrim. Telephone 17.
Affine line of water jackets at Cheap Chas. 5.
Wagon Buses, are furnishing refreshments at Oakland Park, every day and evening. jun 11-12-13.

The Daily Republican.

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For week, payable in advance, 10 Cts.
One year, in advance, \$5.00
Three Months, " 1.50

WEDNESDAY EVE, JUNE 17, 1885.

LOCAL NEWS.

If you want to keep your men, butler and milk cold and sweet, buy an Alaska Refrigerator of
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.
FRATER meeting this evening
BONHAM has another lot of big strawberries on sale in the city.
There are 20 incorporated companies doing business in Decatur.
Excavation for the new building on the vacant lot east of Linn & Scruggs' building has commenced.
The other evening Julius H. Randall, the brick mason, was severely bitten by Mr. Schaefer's big dog on West Wood street. Mr. Randall is able to be about.
"Wagon George the III. was King," in costume, will be one of the numbers to be given by the Schubert Quartette at the opera house to-morrow night.
Deal with Peck & Co. in opera block, and get reliable family groceries, fresh berries and fine flour.
Mr. WALKER, an old engineer on the I. D. & S. road, has committed suicide, because his wife and daughter are estranged. So it is reported.
The Little monument will be dedicated with appropriate exercises on July 4th at Bloomington.
Sacred reserved seats Friday morning for "Silver King" Monday night. Look at the lithographs and see the pictorial paper on the walls.
There was a good turnout of people at the Park last night to hear the free concert by Goodman's band. It was a delightful evening for rowing.
The Hibernian band will be at the Catholic fair at the tabernacle to night. Hear the music and mingle with the crowd.
PATRICK HENKES & Patterson's grocery store, 113 South Water street, and get the best family flour and table supplies.
D. F. HAMMER on Wood street, makes a specialty of vehicle repair work, and sells new buggies at \$50 to \$250 each.
REV. W. K. GOODWIN, Quincy, Ill., says "Barks White Pine Balsam is just the thing for coughs, colds and hoarseness."
HEAR the Schubert Quartette to-morrow night at the opera house. They sing for the benefit of the Presbyterian church mission fund.
Ladies chairs and novelty rockers may be had at Dastman & Myers, in the north block.
CROCKETT canned goods and choice family groceries at Niedermeyer's store on the mound.
PACOR BURR will appear on the stage at the Schubert concert to-morrow night and give two of his best violin solos. This will be the last appearance of the Professor before taking his leave of the city for the North.
This place to get bargains in superb musical instruments is at O. B. Prescott's parlor in Opera block. Learn low prices and easy terms and you will buy.
THE new city directory compiled by Ebol & Co. gives Decatur an estimated population of 15,000, and that is about right.
WYSON THORNTON, Quincy, Ill., says "Barks White Pine Balsam is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I ever saw."
Supply yourselves with superior household goods at Abel & Locke's elegant and well paper establishment. De Haven is the decorator. He always pleases patrons of the house.
JOHN KELLY's Rochester, N. Y. Shoes, at J. H. Black & Son's.
Our competitors try hard to overcome our large and popular shoe trade—but it won't work. J. H. Black & Son's 15-16-17.
We have just received 200 pairs of our Men's \$2.00 Shoes. Call and see them. J. H. Black & Son's. 16-17.
Did you see those pretty new infant shoes at J. H. Black & Son's. 16-17.
Our popular shoe store is open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. Call and see us. J. H. Black & Son's.
SPECIALS, LEMMA & Co. have put in a line of iron force pumps in addition to their other goods, and solicit the patronage of the public. 16-17-18.
The fair at the tabernacle on Tuesday Wednesday and Thursday of this week promises to be a lively and successful one. The most prominent contestants for prizes are Mr. Taylor, the Rev. Father I. M. Burke, of St. Patrick's church, Decatur, and Charles Mantel of St. Mary's church, Chicago. 15-16-17.
Are you a shoe? Why, of course, we have your size in shoes. J. H. Black & Son's. 16-17.
Desiring to hereafter sell their Ladies' line \$1.50 Shoes for \$3.00. Every lady in Decatur should have a pair of these cheap shoes. 11-12-13.
Remember, Our Great Cheap Sales of Ladies' and Shoes will continue till our well meaning, experienced shoe dealer has sold out that we can buy and sell cheaper than they, and that our customer's rating is as high as any house in Decatur. You can save 25 per cent by buying your boots and shoes of us. 11-12-13.
BOSHER & BROTHERS
YOU CAN BUY CHOICE SUGAR-CURED BONELESS BREAKFAST BACON, WITHOUT CLOTH OR PAPEL WRAPPINGS, OF IMBODEN BROS.
The drawing of Dr. A. J. Stoner's first annual donation will take place on Friday, July 18, at 2 o'clock p. m. at the skating rink, at Cheap Charley's. 11-12-13.
Excursion to Clear Lake, Iowa
The Illinois Central R. R. will run an excursion to Clear Lake, Ia., leaving Decatur at 8 a. m. Wednesday, July 18th, arriving at the lake at 8 a. m. July 18th. Fare for the round trip \$1.00. Return tickets good for 30 days. For particulars see the circulars. Applications for tickets must be made to the undersigned on or before July 17th. The annual camp meeting at Clear Lake will close the 21st. For full particulars as to the meeting address No. 100 at Bloomington. Illinois parties who enjoy boating, bathing and a general good time for a little money, should join this excursion and spend a couple of weeks at Clear Lake. Gen'l West Pass Act. 16-17.
A WHISKY dye must be convenient to use, easy to apply, impossible to rub off, elegant in appearance, and cheap in price. Buckingham's Dye for the Whiskers unites in itself all these merits. Try it.
A FINE line of children's Suits at Cheap Charley's.

HELP OUT THE

Proposition to Buy the Fair Grounds, Hold Fairs and give Trotting Meetings.

There is a movement on foot looking to the formation of a fair association with a paid up capital stock of \$15,000, which sum it is proposed shall be used in the purchase of the grounds for the fair grounds for \$5,000, the remainder to be expended in fitting up the buildings and grounds in proper shape for the holding of a creditable agricultural fair each year and two or more trotting meetings, because using the grounds for games and other gatherings. Among the gentlemen who have been spoken to in regard to the proposed association, are Mayor Kanan, D. W. Brethman, W. W. Foster, Peter Loeb, John Hufsch, James Freeman, John R. Miller, Thomas Andrews, Charles Leav, M. E. Thomas, Chas. P. Housman and others, and all are enthusiastic in support of the proposition. The purpose is to sell 150 shares at \$100 each, and any person wishing to aid in their enterprise can help boom it by leaving his name with Sheriff Foster. A public meeting of citizens should be called at once, and committees appointed to canvass the city. It is rightly managed the fair grounds would boom the business interests of Decatur and give handsome returns to the proposed association. It is the purpose of the gentlemen active in the movement to build the best half mile track in the state, and other premiums that will bring the best trotting horses to the meetings.

Juryman
The following named citizens of Decatur township have been drawn to report for jury duty during the 7th and 8th weeks of the circuit court commencing next Monday John T. Rad, W. H. Addie, J. B. Barnwell, W. B. Newell, Theron Powers, N. Turner, John DeCoursey and John Lewis.

Not So Well
David Kennedy, who was injured by a fall down an embankment Saturday evening, is not so well to day. He was delirious yesterday when the reaction set in, and it took several men to hold him. It will take a week or ten days yet to determine the result of the injury.

Delirious
Another large audience was out last night to see the Hollywood Ciderella entertainment, and as usual the clever artists pleased everybody, particularly in the olio. Baby Clara got a large doral basket filled with fruit and candy from Mrs. Minnie Ebert. The eclipse team, Baker and Jones, in their Wagner Porter and other specialties made a big hit, and were called back three times in response to loud applause. They take the place of the juggler, and they made a big hit last night. Same bill to night.

The installation of newly elected officers of Elgin Lodge of Odd Fellows was witnessed at Gurne's Armory last night, after which there was a social and fee level. A gold band once was voted to the most popular ladies' man, and it was awarded to John Norton, and after recounting the or h, it was given to Ed Phoenix, of the St. Nicholas, who bore it away in triumph. The award of the same occurred something of a racket and one man got his nose bruised.

Mr. W. H. Bona here, killed by lightning near La Plac, was a fine Norman stallion worth \$500. Will Bona was at the farm house, 200 feet from the barn when the horse was killed and Edward Sheehy prostrated by the shock. There was another more expensive stallion in the stable at the time, but he was not injured.

There are now three separate consultation rooms at the office of Moore & Baruch, with three physicians occupying the same. The offices of Dr. Ira N. Baruch and Dr. E. W. Moore are located the same as before, with the reception room between. Across the hall is the new office of Dr. D. N. Moore, brother of E. W., who has recently located in Decatur. This arrangement will leave one physician at the office at all hours of the day.

The Industrial Procession
In order to make a complete display of the industrial of the city it is essential that each manufacturer, merchant and mechanic should make up a list of their products and the exhibition of the procession, to be held on the 15th, 16th and 17th inst. The procession will start at 10 a. m. on the 15th, and will proceed to the fair grounds, where it will be held for three days.

The Sheriff's Office
The Sheriff's Office has received a list of names of persons who have been arrested during the last year, and will be held for trial during the next year. The list is as follows: John T. Rad, W. H. Addie, J. B. Barnwell, W. B. Newell, Theron Powers, N. Turner, John DeCoursey and John Lewis.

The Chicago Grain Market.
The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at noon to-day
Wheat—88c June, 87c July, 87c Aug., 87c Sept.
Corn—48c June, 47c July, 47c Aug., 47c Sept.
Oats—13c June, 13c July, 28c Aug., 27c Sept.
The sure effects of Ayer's Sarsaparilla are thorough and permanent. It is a lurking trait of scrofula about you, and Ayer's Sarsaparilla will demolish it, and expel it from your system.

Telephone Crotches & Payne
The best Ice Cream in the city. Try it and be convinced. Telephone 101. 229 Opem Block.

Cheap Excursion Tickets
For Packer's Springs, Arkansas the famous health resort, are on sale at all the principal ticket offices throughout the United States. For illustrated pamphlets, write to or call upon Geo. Lowery, Agent "Packer's Line," 222 North Water st., Decatur, Ill. 10-11-12-13.

Be it known to every man, woman and child that they cannot afford to miss the pleasant time which is being prepared for them by the Catholic Ladies at the fair at the tabernacle for Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, the 16th, 17th and 18th inst.

The pay-day will come along between the 20th and 25th of the month, as usual; so we are assured by the local officials.

Trammaster Hurd and wife are at Springfield this week. Mr. Hurd is engaged in getting out the new time card, which takes effect next Sunday.
Nearly all of the young men in Sept. Armstrong's office are Republicans, but they are out of the "offensive partisan" stripe, because their places are not in the gift of Cleveland.
MAN OUT OF WORK
In obedience to orders from Manager Talmadge this morning all the machine men in the Washburn shop at Decatur, Springfield, Ford Wayne, Moberly and Chicago were thrown out of work for the present. The object is to reduce expense. The Washburn is in the hands of receivers and they cannot create indebtedness for work or purchases beyond the earnings of the receipts without an order from the court. It is presumed the road is short of cash, hence the present scheme to reduce expenses. About 50 employees of the road here are out of work, but no doubt as soon as business revives they will be called back for duty.
Proposed Change
It appears to be the desire of Decatur attorneys and others to secure a change in time of holding the terms of the circuit court in this county. We now have the May and December terms. It is proposed to add another term, so the sessions may be held in January, April and October. The May term makes the attendance at court very inconvenient for farmers. May is the busiest month for them.
At a Ripe Old Age
This morning Capt. J. S. Post received a letter notifying him of the death of his venerable mother, Mrs. Lucy Post, who passed away at Red Wing, Minnesota, on Sunday last at the advanced age of 94 years. The deceased was a native of Connecticut where she was born in the year 1791, when George Washington was serving his second term as President of the United States. For many years Mrs. Post had made her home with a son and two daughters in Minnesota, and until a few months before her death she was remarkably active and vigorous for her age.
The German Catholic Fair
The fair and festival for the benefit of St. James German Catholic church opened at the tabernacle last night, with a fair attendance. A good dinner was served to day, which was liberally patronized. To night the Hibernian band will give selections from the stage. The ladies in charge of the various booths and tables are Mrs. Bulch, Mrs. Heister, Mrs. Chas. Bottelhorn, Lizzie Bulch, Nora Holley, Trese Hookler, Lizzie Walser, Mathe Frank, Minnie Butch, Jesse Walser, Minnie Frank, Lizzie and Annie Schmal, Lena Kreher, Johannes Boston, Mary Sherman, Anna and Nellie Hartens, Susie Schmal and others. The public is invited to attend. The fair will close Thursday night.
PERSONAL MENTION
Darwin Greer is at home on a visit.
Miss Olive Oglesby is in the city on a visit.
Miss Clara Barnes, of Kansas City, is visiting Mrs. O. O. Clark.
Rev. Lyman Marshall and wife, of Lebanon, Ill., are guests at the Hotel Bevel.
Mrs. Dr. Stoner was called to Mt. Sterling yesterday to attend the funeral of her mother.
Mrs. Wm. Letham, of 813 North Water street, is entertaining Mrs. Horace Reed, of Mattoon.
E. A. Gastman is at Centralia attending a school meeting. Sept. 18th is also present.
Miss Ella Burr left for the last to day at noon. She took the day train that she might not have to ride at night.
William H. Kuller, late of Bond, departed to day for Newton county, Kansas, where he has a farm of 110 acres.
Supersar Ward, of Elwin, arrived this morning from Indianapolis where he sold a lot of logs at the top of the market.
Evel and Bonnie Bartholomew are a tempting a large company of the Little friends this afternoon at their home on North Main street.
Gov. and Mrs. Oglesby gave a dinner party last evening in honor of Hon. Joseph Medill, Bishop Seymour and twenty other gentlemen, at the mansion.
Miss Maud Shurt, daughter of Rev. W. F. Shurt, president of the Illinois Female College, and Rev. John W. Shurt, were married yesterday at Jacksonville.
Prof. J. N. Wilkinson, lost at the schools at Emporia, Kansas at \$7000 a year, arrived in the city today on his way to Chicago. He will return in a day or two.
Mrs. Chas. A. Lathrop, who was not in hotel for a while, has gone to her home in Peoria county. It is stated that she wishes to return to Peoria in the hope of securing the position of her husband. She is now in the city, and will probably be made to keep her way.
New Davis of Decatur, Miss Mollie Hamilton, of Livin E. C. Lowery, of Chicago, and Miss Jessie Enlow, of Co. 12th U. S. Inf., were united in marriage at 12 o'clock this morning. Mr. Bailey and his bride have gone to Cincinnati on a visit.
Mr. Geo. H. Manser wrote all the way from Riverside, California, to say, "I thought my rheumatism in my back and legs, but the bottle of Atthophores moved my pain and gave me hope for the future. The relief it afforded seemed like a miracle."
What a power it would have been in the old days of miracle working. Now, it is only a natural agent. Yet good people who have felt its wonderful curative power help regarding them as miraculous. These cases express the difference between Atthophores and other rheumatic remedies, many or all of which they have tried in vain.
Some have been fooled so often that they are timid about new remedies. They are right. Don't try Atthophores blindly. Put two and two together—cause and effect—and then try it. It is a specific from the laboratory, not from imagination. It rests on merit, not on puffery. Do like A. B. Davenport, Brooklyn, N. Y., who says "After suffering for years with continuous rheumatism and trying every remedy at command, I set to tracing the meaning of the word Atthophores. Deceiving your theory of the disease to be rheumatism, I took the origin in the blood, and that Atthophores would touch the circulation loosening the muscles and nodes in stiffened joints, it proved to me, on trial, an invaluable blessing. It to me, a new life and activity, enabled me to move about without pain, and enabled me to feel that while approaching three score years and ten, I had a new lease of life and vigor. I feel that Atthophores means now and most efficient cure for rheumatism in existence."
We carry the very best grades of ladies' and gents' shoe shoes.
J. H. BLACK & SON

Operations of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. as Reported by Secretary Mann.

At the recent meeting of the board of directors of the Decatur Y. M. C. A., Mr. W. E. Mann, the general secretary, presented his valuable report for the month of May, setting forth the operations of the association. It is as follows:
To the President and Members of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A.:
DEAR BRETHREN—I herewith submit to you my report for the month of May.
The reading room and parlor have been open each day and evening during the month, with an average attendance of daily visitors of 15, the gymnasium has been open 16 evenings, average attendance, 20. Five cottage prayer meetings were held in different houses, average attendance, 19. Four S. S. Teachers' meetings were held, at 19, two boys' meetings, at 18. Five meetings were held in the jail, at 18. 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Operations of the Decatur Y. M. C. A. as Reported by Secretary Mann.

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NEW THROUGH LINE EAST.

On and after Sunday, May 10th, trains via D. & S. R. will leave Decatur at 11:20 a.m. and 10:50 p.m. Both trains connect at Indianapolis with all lines for the East. The 10:50 p.m. train will have Pullman Sleeping Cars to Decatur through to Columbus, Ohio, via the Erie and Erie Railroad route, arriving at Columbus at 11:30 a.m. the following morning. This train will also have a Pullman Dining Car from Decatur to Cincinnati, without change, arriving at Cincinnati at 10:30 a.m. Tickets, Berths and Pullman Charges are sold at Illinois Central office in Decatur.

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No 42, Lightning Express.....	10:45 p. m.	ufact
No 48, Accommodation arrives.....	7:00 p. m.	One \$40 S
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:		One 100 p

Gold Line.....	7.30 a. m.
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GOING WEST.	
No. 43, Fast Line.....	4.15 a. m.
" 67.....	5.40 p. m.
" 67, Jacksonville Accommodation, 5.40 p. m.	
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:	
One Hawcreek.....	Agric.
One \$20 N.....	
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One \$15 A.....	

Going west.....	12:30 p. m.	One \$15 M
Going ".....	10:45 a. m.	One \$15 M
Chicago Division.		One \$15 Y
On and after Sunday, May 24th, 1906, traffic will run as follows on the Chicago Division of the W., St. L. & P. Ry by way of Beasmont:		One \$12 Y
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No. 2, Chicago Express.....	12:30 a. m.	One \$10 Z
" 4, Atlantic Express.....	12:55 noon	One \$10 I
ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.		
No. 8, St. Louis Express.....	3:55 a. m.	One \$10 P
" 6, St. Louis Mail.....	2:10 p. m.	One \$10 F
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GOING WEST.		One \$10
No. 3, St. Lou's Express.....	4:55 a.m.	One \$10
" 43, Fast Line.....	2:10 p.m.	One Fine
" 5, Fast Mail.....	8:40 p.m.	One \$10
ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.		
No. 2, Chicago Express.....	12:00 a.m.	One Fine
" 4, Atlantic Express.....	11:15 a.m.	

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division:		One \$7 Ge
Going West.....	8:30 a. m.	One \$7 Ch
Arrive from West.....	6:30 p. m.	One \$5 Sil
Champaign Division:		One Pair H
Leaving from West.....	10:10 a. m.	

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NORTHWEST.		
No. 1.	Mail.....	3:47 p.m.
" 6.	Express.....	4:10 a.m.
" 8.	Mixed.....	6:30 a.m.
" 13.	Freight.....	10:20 a.m.
SOUTHEAST.		
No. 2.	Mail.....	10:42 a.m.

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" 4.	Columbus & Cincinnati Exp.	10:50 p m	AT
" 12.	Freight	7:00 a m	And MASTER
" 14	Freight	6:30 p m	Illinois. Gil
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Night Express No. 24.....	6:45 a. m.
Way Freight No. 36.....	No. 30.....
Mixed and Stock Tr.....	6:35 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM INDIANAPOLIS.

Mail and Day Express No. 21.....	2:45 p. m.
Night Express No. 23.....	4:45 a. m.
Way Freight No. 25.....	7:15 p. m.

GOING TO INDIANAPOLIS.

Night Express No. 24.....	6:45 a. m.
Way Freight No. 36.....	No. 30.....
Mixed and Stock Tr.....	6:35 p. m.

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